

<b>AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT</b>				1. Contract ID Code Firm-Fixed-Price		Page 1 Of 2	
2. Amendment/Modification No.  0001		3. Effective Date  2003FEB03		4. Requisition/Purchase Req No.  SEE SCHEDULE		5. Project No. (If applicable)	
6. Issued By HQ OSC AMSJM-CCA-M SHIRLENE WISE (309)782-3764 ROCK ISLAND, IL 61299-6000 BLDG 350 EMAIL: WISES@OSC.ARMY.MIL		Code W52P1J		7. Administered By (If other than Item 6) Code			
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8. Name And Address Of Contractor (No., Street, City, County, State and Zip Code)				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		9A. Amendment Of Solicitation No.	
				<input type="checkbox"/>		DAAA09-02-R-0182	
				<input type="checkbox"/>		9B. Dated (See Item 11) 2003JAN13	
				<input type="checkbox"/>		10A. Modification Of Contract/Order No.	
				<input type="checkbox"/>		10B. Dated (See Item 13)	
Code		Facility Code					
<b>11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS</b>							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offers <input type="checkbox"/> is extended, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is not extended. Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended by one of the following methods: (a) By completing items 8 and 15, and returning <u>2 signed</u> copies of the amendments: (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. <b>FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER.</b> If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.							
12. Accounting And Appropriation Data (If required)							
<b>13. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS</b> It Modifies The Contract/Order No. As Described In Item 14.							
<input type="checkbox"/>		A. This Change Order is Issued Pursuant To: The Contract/Order No. In Item 10A.				The Changes Set Forth In Item 14 Are Made In	
<input type="checkbox"/>		B. The Above Numbered Contract/Order Is Modified To Reflect The Administrative Changes (such as changes in paying office, appropriation data, etc.) Set Forth In Item 14, Pursuant To The Authority of FAR 43.103(b).					
<input type="checkbox"/>		C. This Supplemental Agreement Is Entered Into Pursuant To Authority Of:					
<input type="checkbox"/>		D. Other (Specify type of modification and authority)					
E. IMPORTANT: Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> is not, <input type="checkbox"/> is required to sign this document and return _____ copies to the Issuing Office.							
14. Description Of Amendment/Modification (Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.)							
SEE SECOND PAGE FOR DESCRIPTION							
<p>Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.</p>							
15A. Name And Title Of Signer (Type or print)				16A. Name And Title Of Contracting Officer (Type or print)			
15B. Contractor/Offeror		15C. Date Signed		16B. United States Of America		16C. Date Signed	
(Signature of person authorized to sign)				By _____ /SIGNED/		(Signature of Contracting Officer)	
NSN 7540-01-152-8070 PREVIOUS EDITIONS UNUSABLE				30-105-02		STANDARD FORM 30 (REV. 10-83) Prescribed by GSA FAR (48 CFR) 53.243	

CONTINUATION SHEET	Reference No. of Document Being Continued PIIN/SIIN DAAA09-02-R-0182 MOD/AMD 0001	Page 2 of 2
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Name of Offeror or Contractor:

SECTION A - SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

ITEM: M548 Metal Box  
NSN: 8140-00-739-0233  
P/N: 7258943

1. This amendment corrects the specification called out in Section E, OSC 52.209-4512, First Article Test (Contractor Testing), paragraph a, from MIL-C-23389 to MIL-S-23389.

2. The following questions and answers are provided:

Q 1. During a review of the M548 TDP sent to us on CD-ROM, we have found an error on the gasket drawing that needs to be revised. The change needed is as follows: Dwg. 7258947 - Gasket, Cover; Change Note 2 material reference from: ASTM D2000, M4AA407A13B13C12F19 to: ASTM D2000, M4AA407A13B13C12F17. This change is needed because the "AA" rubber compounds cited in ASTM D2000, Table 6, are not formulated for low temperature brittleness below -40 degrees.

A 1. The call-out on the drawing of ASTM D2000, M4AA07A13B13C12F19 is correct. The M548 container is designed to withstand temperatures as low as -65 degree F. The last three digits of the material call-out (in this case F19) represents a particular temperature performance requirement. It requires that the material pass a low temperature resistance test per ASTM D2137 Method A, 9.3.2 and be non-brittle after 3 minutes at -55 degree C or -67 degree F. This requirement is the same as in past procurements.

Q 2. Page 28 of 43 (bottom) states that "Varying prices may be offered for the option quantities actually ordered and the dates when ordered." As we read the solicitation, option quantities could be let in varying quantities at different dates throughout the contract. Can we submit varying pricing depending on quantity/delivery dates? The option could hit such that production actually occurs in 2004 which could affect steel prices. We would like to submit option pricing based on notification dates/quantities to cover this.

A 2. A prospective offeror may establish a date by which the option must be exercised to receive a lower price. If an offeror chooses to submit various option prices for specific ordering periods, the total option quantity (200%) will be evaluated at the highest price proposed.

3. All other terms and conditions remain the same.

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